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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1560**  
Yoshinori MATSUI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2001\_0471A  
Serial No. 09/838,174 : Group Art Unit 2616  
Filed April 20, 2001 : Examiner Robert Chevalier  
DATA PLAYBACK APPARATUS : **Mail Stop Amendment**

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated December 6, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.